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Laura Bridgeman. DR. HOWE'S SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO EDU-

CATE HER. In a village in the mountains of New Hampshire the late Dr. Samuel G. Howe found the

subject of this sketch, then six years old, blind, deaf, dumb and nearly destitute of the sense of taste, scarlet fever having deprived her of these gifts. She was thus excluded from all the beauties of God in nature, and seemed little better than a piece of marble chiseled in human form, and that form containing a flickering spark of an immortal soul.

Her father was a well-to-do farmer, and her mother a woman of much intelligence, who gladly consented to place her little daughter in care of Mr. Howe. Accordingly she was brought to Boston and a process of instruction immediately commenced. She was first taught to use her hands and to acquire a command of her muscles and limbs, and afterward, by means of a non and pin, to distinguish two articles by arbitrary signs.

Then from monosyllables she learned all the letters of the alphabet, and how to arrange them to represent objects. She soon acquired a knowledge of numerals, punctuation, etc., and then she gained the power of expressing thought, the names of things, etc. The next process taught her was to recognize the same signs in embossed types. She worked with great eagerness, thus rewarding the watchful

care of her devoted teacher.

Miss Bridgeman is now in her forty sixth year, and between her home and the Perkies Institution she has passed her time thus far. She is tall, slight, graceful in form and motion, wears green bands across her eyes, is very demonstrative, and her face at times radiates with emotion. She dresses with great care-more to please her friends than herself-and takes pride in showing her gold watch and other feminine

ornamentations. She is quite expert in crocheting and plain needlework, and takes much delight in assisting one of the teachers in the sewing department. A few days ago she was at work with, perhaps, a dezen of the pupils, turning the hems of napkins, and threading needles with her fingers and teeth. She exhibited some of her hemming with as much pride as a soldier bearing a trophy from a battle field.

A lady, on the occasion referred to, made a purchase from her of a crochet mat, and with clear articulation Miss Bridgeman repeated the werd 'money" twice. She can utter intelliginame of a teacher, and such words as e She forms words with a lead pencil ad of a Freich writing board. This article has grooved lines about an eighth och deep, an inch or so apart, running

ersely across the pasteboard. one takes her paper and presses it into the grooves, thus making depressions which can be lelt by the pencil point, and when slightly probel leaves a letter mark. In furnishing her au tograph, she writes above her name a Scripture text. On her being asked if she realized the meaning of the quotation, "The Lord is my Shepherd," she replied, "fully."

On learning that her questioner had been a Sabbath school teacher for eighteen years, she clasped her hands with delight and made an attempt, in a rapturous manner, to speak. Miss Bridgeman, after the death of her father, was selfishly deprived of the little property he left for herself and her mother, and she continues to earn a little money by the use of her needle.

She, however, possessés the interests of a bequest of \$2,000 from the Loring fund. This lady is feeling acutely the death of the noble man who brought her imprisoned spirit from chaos. She is a living monument of his devotion, patience, hope, waiting, watching, and giving of eyes to the blind and language to the dumb lips.

The Emperor of Prussia sent Dr. Howe a gold medal for his marvelous achievement in | pound. educating Laura Bridgeman. The attention of the European world was first drawn to Miss Bridgeman's most extraordinary case through Charles Dickens' "American Notes," in which a very full account was given, and a deserved culogium passed upon Dr. Howe.

Archbishop Wood, of Philadelphia, has received a letter from Cardinal Antonelli announcing the shipment for exhibition at the Centennial, at the instance of Pope Pius IX., of a number of objects of art, including two Madonas in mosaic, one of Raphael, the other of Tesseferrato; also two vases of flowers, likewise in a osaic, prepared in the workshop of the Vatican establishment. In addition to these there will be a St Agnes, Virgin and Martyr in tapestry, executed at the Vatican establish-

A promising youth of nine summers in western Massachusetts recently relieved his overburdened mind as follows:

Lord of love, look down from above Upon us little scholars;

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And pay her twenty dollars.

Hon. Robert Toombs. Dr. J. S. Pemberton-Dear Sir: I take pleasure in giving my testimony to the virtues of your excellent Globe Flower Syrup, having used several bottles myself for an obstinate affection of the throat and voice, with most happy

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fer to let them speak. Globe Flower Syrup for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. None genuine unless signed MERRELL & COUDEN, successors to Dr. J. S. Pemberton. Read the "Curious Story"-free at the Drug

ap 18-1m 40 BBLS SUGAR, White and Brown, just CANDIDATES.

[All cards inserted under this caption must be paid for in advance.]

A CARD-TO THE VOTERS OF ALEX-Though I was announced as desiring the nomination for the Legislature long before any one supposed Mr Febrey would be a candidate, or the county would urge a claim, I at once wrote, on seeing his own card, and sent to both papers a card withdrawing my name, which would have been published April 19th, but I withheld it at Mr. Mushbach's request until the circumstances attending Mr. Febrey's candidacy and the claims of the county could be ascertained by him. It was my purpose to withdraw, because, though I knew the motives of those in this city who were urging Mr Febrey's nomination, yet I knew him to be so good a man that I was willing to step back. But in deference to the wishes of friends who are not satisfied with the manner of his nomination, I remain a candidate, and submit only to the decision of a primary election. My reasons are: That the pretense of the county's title to this half term (which was strangely ignored last fall) is a mere sham to chest har of a whole term in the part election cheat her of a whole term in the next election, in the interest of a small set, who assume to regulate all elections in Alexandria, and that Mr. Febrey was persuaded to come out by two or three men, acting without authority of the party, and with the purpose stated. I shall take care to let the people know these facts, and if the Conservative voters see them, as I do, they will, if worthy of independence of senti-ment, stamp such action with their condemna-tion. I shall, if elected, admit the county's claim in the next election, and retire myself, if

M. D. BALL. ap 22 te A CARD-At the request of friends I announce myself a candidate for the House of Delegates to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Capt. W. H. Fowle. If nomi-nated I shall make an active and thorough canvass and if elected, gratefully appreciating the trust confided to me, shall labor faithfully to promote the interests of my constituents.

ap 18-tf HENRY W. FEBREY.

necessary to assert it. If beaten by Mr Febrey

in a primary election, I shall feel that the city

and county will have a most worthy representa-

tive, but I wish to know I am beaten fairly by

the people, and not to be crowded out by a ring,

on a false pretence.

ap 18-tf TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF AL-EXANDRIA - I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of City Sergeant-subject to the action of the Conservative party in convention or primary election. ap 4-td JOHN W. CAMPBELL.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF AL-EXANDRIA-I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the effice of Clerk of the Corporation Court—subject to the action of the Conservative party in convention or primary election.

MORTON MARYE.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF AL-EXANDRIA.

At the request of some of my friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re election to the oilice of Commonwealth's Attorney of the city of Alexandria at the approaching May election. This announcement is made subject to the action of a nominating convention or primary election of the Conservative party. If re-elected, I shall devote my time, energy and ability to the discharge of the legitimate duties

mh 29-td JOHN M. JOHNSON. TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY-I respectfully amounce myself a car didate for re-election to the office of City ergeant. Thanking my many friends for their former support. I hereby solicit its continuance in the election to be held on the 25th of May. 1876. I have endeavored to discharge the duties of the office to the satisfaction of all, and my past course is the index to my future con-

ROBERT T. LUCAS. mh 28-td TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA-I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of City Sergeant, to be voted for at the election on the 25th of May next-subject to the decision of the Conservative party.

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ROBERT F. KNOX.

I RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE myself a candidate for CLERK OF THE CORPO. RATION COURT, of the City of Alexandria, subject to the decision of the Conservative pri-JAMES R. CATON.

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dec 24-tf A CARD.—Circumstances rendering it desirable that I should locate in Baltimore, I have transferred my DENTAL PRACTICE in Alexandria to DR. D. N. RUST. He has been for so many years associated with me as to need no introduction or endorsement, his skill, ability no introduction or endorsement, his skill, ability and reputation for honesty and high integrity being well known. I cordially commend him to the favor of my friends and patients, as well worthy of the position to which he succeeds, and bespeak for him the practice with which, for so

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